

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
ANNUAL AVERAGES**

7. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population 25 years and over by educational attainment, sex, race, and Hispanic origin

(Numbers in thousands)

Educational attainment	Total		Men		Women		White		Black		Hispanic origin	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
TOTAL												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	173,746	175,247	82,657	83,426	91,089	91,821	145,992	147,000	19,761	20,060	16,644	17,277
Civilian labor force	117,101	118,148	62,903	63,372	54,198	54,777	98,025	98,737	13,540	13,704	11,563	12,129
Percent of population	67.4	67.4	76.1	76.0	59.5	59.7	67.1	67.2	68.5	68.3	69.5	70.2
Employed	113,425	114,612	61,032	61,571	52,392	53,041	95,316	96,127	12,771	12,964	10,985	11,596
Employment-population ratio	65.3	65.4	73.8	73.8	57.5	57.8	65.3	65.4	64.6	64.6	66.0	67.1
Unemployed	3,676	3,537	1,870	1,800	1,805	1,736	2,709	2,610	768	740	578	533
Unemployment rate	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.2	2.8	2.6	5.7	5.4	5.0	4.4
Less than a high school diploma												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	28,337	27,942	13,388	13,219	14,948	14,722	22,765	22,357	4,247	4,271	7,189	7,419
Civilian labor force	12,110	12,054	7,347	7,287	4,763	4,767	9,815	9,783	1,684	1,669	4,226	4,471
Percent of population	42.7	43.1	54.9	55.1	31.9	32.4	43.1	43.8	39.6	39.1	58.8	60.3
Employed	11,294	11,283	6,921	6,889	4,372	4,394	9,235	9,232	1,488	1,490	3,926	4,190
Employment-population ratio	39.9	40.4	51.7	52.1	29.2	29.8	40.6	41.3	35.0	34.9	54.6	56.5
Unemployed	817	771	426	398	391	373	580	550	196	179	300	282
Unemployment rate	6.7	6.4	5.8	5.5	8.2	7.8	5.9	5.6	11.6	10.7	7.1	6.3
High school graduates, no college												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	57,559	57,559	26,158	26,337	31,402	31,222	48,629	48,510	7,008	7,046	4,566	4,794
Civilian labor force	37,327	37,170	19,785	19,762	17,542	17,409	31,145	30,927	4,944	4,929	3,370	3,549
Percent of population	64.8	64.6	75.6	75.0	55.9	55.8	64.0	63.8	70.5	69.9	73.8	74.0
Employed	36,017	35,886	19,125	19,086	16,893	16,799	30,211	30,015	4,631	4,609	3,213	3,410
Employment-population ratio	62.6	62.3	73.1	72.5	53.8	53.8	62.1	61.9	66.1	65.4	70.4	71.1
Unemployed	1,310	1,285	661	675	649	609	934	913	313	320	158	139
Unemployment rate	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.0	3.0	6.3	6.5	4.7	3.9
Less than a bachelor's degree¹												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	43,358	44,364	19,997	20,412	23,360	23,951	36,349	37,260	5,318	5,414	3,049	3,109
Civilian labor force	32,115	32,844	16,212	16,515	15,903	16,329	26,621	27,271	4,219	4,295	2,437	2,489
Percent of population	74.1	74.0	81.1	80.9	68.1	68.2	73.2	73.2	79.3	79.3	79.9	80.1
Employed	31,209	31,965	15,778	16,093	15,430	15,871	25,944	26,610	4,032	4,124	2,356	2,412
Employment-population ratio	72.0	72.1	78.9	78.8	66.1	66.3	71.4	71.4	75.8	76.2	77.3	77.6
Unemployed	906	879	434	422	473	458	677	661	187	171	81	78
Unemployment rate	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6	3.0	2.8	2.5	2.4	4.4	4.0	3.3	3.1
Some college, no degree												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	30,111	30,481	14,192	14,412	15,919	16,069	25,077	25,453	3,895	3,923	2,205	2,219
Civilian labor force	21,778	22,001	11,251	11,439	10,527	10,562	17,863	18,086	3,067	3,076	1,755	1,763
Percent of population	72.3	72.2	79.3	79.4	66.1	65.7	71.2	71.1	78.7	78.4	79.6	79.4
Employed	21,129	21,374	10,941	11,133	10,189	10,240	17,388	17,615	2,924	2,949	1,696	1,706
Employment-population ratio	70.2	70.1	77.1	77.3	64.0	63.7	69.3	69.2	75.1	75.2	76.9	76.9
Unemployed	648	628	310	306	338	322	475	471	143	128	60	57
Unemployment rate	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.6	4.7	4.2	3.4	3.2
Associate degree												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	13,247	13,883	5,806	6,000	7,441	7,883	11,272	11,807	1,423	1,491	844	890
Civilian labor force	10,337	10,843	4,961	5,075	5,376	5,767	8,758	9,186	1,152	1,219	682	727
Percent of population	78.0	78.1	85.4	84.6	72.2	73.2	77.7	77.8	81.0	81.8	80.8	81.6
Employed	10,079	10,591	4,838	4,960	5,242	5,631	8,556	8,995	1,108	1,176	660	706
Employment-population ratio	76.1	76.3	83.3	82.7	70.4	71.4	75.9	76.2	77.9	78.9	78.3	79.3
Unemployed	258	252	123	116	134	136	202	190	44	43	21	21
Unemployment rate	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.1	3.8	3.5	3.1	2.8
College graduates												
Civilian noninstitutional population ...	44,492	45,382	23,113	23,457	21,379	21,925	38,249	38,873	3,188	3,328	1,840	1,955
Civilian labor force	35,548	36,080	19,558	19,808	15,990	16,272	30,444	30,756	2,693	2,810	1,530	1,620
Percent of population	79.9	79.5	84.6	84.4	74.8	74.2	79.6	79.1	84.5	84.4	83.2	82.9
Employed	34,905	35,478	19,208	19,503	15,697	15,975	29,925	30,270	2,621	2,741	1,491	1,585
Employment-population ratio	78.5	78.2	83.1	83.1	73.4	72.9	78.2	77.9	82.2	82.3	81.0	81.1
Unemployed	643	602	350	305	293	296	519	486	73	70	39	35
Unemployment rate	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.2

¹ Includes the categories, some college, no degree, and associate degree.

NOTE: Detail for the above race and Hispanic-origin groups will not sum to totals because data for the "other races" group are not presented and Hispanics are

included in both the white and black population groups. Beginning in January 2000, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey.